

Town of Abington
Board of Health Meeting
Monday, March 3, 2014
Meier Room
7:00pm

Member's present: Bob Manning, Chairman, Theresa Maze, Vice-Chair, Linda Dickey, Donna Hoffman, Sharon White, Health Agent

Bob calls the meeting to order at 6:59pm.

Bob turns the meeting over to Sharon regarding an issue with a Body Art Establishment. She updates the Board as much as she can

Compost Site

Sharon explains to the Board that we need to find 2 volunteers to fill empty slots

Bob states if there are only 2 people we cannot open the Compost Site. Donna states there is someone she knows that might be interested. The Board sets a tentative date of April 5, 2014, to open. Terry and Linda are willing to help out if necessary.

Discussion

Rabies Clinic

April 12, 2014, 10am-12pm at the front entrance

Finance Committee Meeting Results

Sharon was stressing that we need \$15,000 for compost screening/grinding fund

Hazardous Waste funding discussion

Discussion for other funding

Trash Issues

Bob states that on Washington St and side streets that the covers to the totes are open and some are closed with bags on top of covers.

He asks the Board members to be aware and take notes and to let Lorraine be aware of any situations

Discussion regarding Condominium issues

Terry brings up the dumping issues between the Lobster Barn and the end of Hancock St gate being taken down. She would like the chain back up but Sharon states that it is privately owned, not Town owned. She will let the Board know who the owner is.

Health Agent's Report (see attached)

One Day/Temporary Food Permits

Issues/Applications

Discussion regarding requirements

Sharon will put a packet together for what is required by the State and what we have already

Fee Schedule Review

Terry brings Bob up to date from the last meeting in which Bob was absent

Discussion regarding Catering fees

Bob motions that he would like to revisit the fee structure for both catering annually and daily basis

Terry Seconds

Donna opposes

Unanimous

3-1-0

Bob would like to reduce the annual catering fee to \$100 and to reduce the onetime catering fee to \$50

Terry seconds

Donna opposes

Unanimous

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Bob motions to open discussion for reinspection fees

Bob votes for Sharon to go back to the reinspection fees as it states on the current fee schedule

Discussion

Bob proposes that we reinstate the reinspection fee at \$75.00 for the original complaint until it is completed and for every additional reinspection there is an additional \$75.00 fee if necessary

Linda seconds

Unanimous

Minutes

November 12, 2013

Bob votes to accept

Donna seconds

Unanimous

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Jan. 27, 2014

Donna motions to accept

Bob seconds

Unanimous

3-0-1

Feb. 3, 2014

Terry motions to accept

Donna seconds

Unanimous

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Feb. 18, 2014

Linda motions to accept

Donna seconds

Unanimous

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Terry motions to adjourn

Donna seconds

Unanimous

Bob Manning, Chairman

Mary DeRusha, Chief Clerk